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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Houston

SUBJECT : Public Buildings Purchase Contract Act of
1954, 40 U.S.C. 356

1. Attached is an extract of this statute which provides in general for the construction of new federal buildings through a lease-purchase scheme.

2. The extract makes it evident that this statute provides no mechanism for avoiding formal consideration by and approval of such entities external to CIA as the Bureau of the Budget, the General Services Administration and cognizant Congressional Committees.

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Attachment

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